

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

On page 1, please amend the sections entitled Title and Cross-Reference to Related Applications, which were inserted by the Preliminary Amendment filed November 1, 2001 with the following sections:

TITLE

“METHOD FOR PRODUCING AN ELECTRONIC OR ELECTRICAL  
COMPONENT WITH A PLASTIC-PASSIVATED SURFACE”

Cross-Reference to Related Applications

The present application is a division of U.S. Serial No. 09/295,917, now abandoned, filed April 21, 1999.--